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For: TIRE ACTING FORCE MEASURING METHOD, AND  
TIRE ACTING FORCE MEASURING DEVICE

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to an examination on the merits of the above-identified application, please amend the same as follows on the accompanying pages.

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